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valley of Interlacken, and sailed with me through Lake Thun. He was with me in a delightful visit to Berne, and again at the Giesbach Falls, one of the really beautiful cataracts of Switzerland. We crossed the Gemmi together in a storm of rain, hail and snow, when for a time we had reason to think that the hour for a time we had reason to think that the hour of our lest from all jouneys had come. But we weathered it after a struggle for life, which seems to me far greater than that under which he afterwards fell. Then we made a visit to the monks of St. Bernard, and though it was early in September, we found six inches of snow there, and the noble dogs rolling in it, and the good monks as hospitable as we had heard they would be. One of them kissed me when I left them in the morning, and so long had it been since I had been kissed by any body, it was half a pleasure to have one from a monk. Then we crossed the Col de Balm together, and for the first time saw Mont Blanc, the monarch of the mountains-

" \_\_\_\_ in a robe of clouds With a diadem of snow."

Together we entered the vale of Chamoun and saw the sun set and the sun rise there, and repeated Coleridge's Hymn as we had often done before we reached the scene of its inspiration. I know nothing in the language more genial to the soul among the Alps than that hymn. It rang in my ears all the way through Switz-erland. We were up and down the lake of Geneva, and the Calvin city, and then we crossed Mont Cenis, and saw Turin, and wandered in the valleys of the Waldenses, where we were received with a warmth of welcome that made us feel the power of christian love. From Turin us feel the power of christian love. From Turin we went to Genoa, and then to Milan and to lake Como—one of the fairest and fairyest lakes in the world—a "thing of beauty;" a joy to remember; and so is Venice, where we dreamed a few days in the gondolas, a city the streets of which are liquid, and where the sound of a wheel is never heard—a city of the sea—a dream glorious in its decay; for Venice is sinking, and will soon find a watery grave. From Venice we came to Florence, and there my younk friend and companion of travel. my younk friend and companion of travel, who had crossed the ocean and the continent, with me, found his grave, among strangers and, thank God, also among friends. All this travel, which will require a year of letters to describe, I have no heart to write. It is so blended, every step of it, with one who is with me no more, that I must leave it, and write it out hereafter for that book, which is to be made one of these days, to contain the chronicles of this notable year. From this time onward, I can do nothing more than to give you brief notes of travel from week to week, which we will fill out when we can sit down and talk over these things at our leisure.

"Hæc olim meminissi juvabit." It was a sad morning when I left Florence "A load of emptiness was on my heart. More heavy than the weight of actual woe Nature too seemed oppressed, as if a part Of what my soul suffered she did know And would a fellowship of sadness show."

The skies wept freely, and so did two strong men in that parting embrace, and he who re mained, said "You have made us a precious visit—it has been hallowed by death, and now will be a memory forever." And then we were sundered, and I was once more alone. My faithful Italian servant, who really seemed to love me, began to tell me of Rome and Naples, and I was amused with his attempts to amuse me; the queer pleasures he described as in prospect, and which he was sure would drive away all melancholy and restore me to myself leads by the same months in the Barbadoes; in 1620 rotations gal emancipated herself, with all her transations and in the Netherlands; in 1618 they made themselves independent. The English took from us in 1626 the islands of the Barbadoes; in 1656,

Pisa is on the way from Florence to Leghorn and a few hours there will furnish quite as much of interest as can be found in the same in 1650, of Grenada; in 1665, of Guadalupe. time and within so small a space in Europe The "leaning tower" is reckoned among wonders of the world and justly so. Standing as far from it as on the opposite side of the square, it excites in the beholder's mind the constant apprehension that it is going over, and as I walked up the circular stairway that leads to the summit, I was all the time hitting one side or the other of the staircase, so far does it hang out of the perpendicular. Galileo often climbed these stairs, and here performed his experiments to determine the fall of heavy bodies, and in the cathedral close at hand is still hanging the same old iron chandelier, which when swinging suggested to him the ide of the pendulum as a measure of time. A hundred windows of stained glass admit a dim light by which I could scarcely see the paintings that dorn this church in greater numbers than any other in Europe. Some of them are very fine, and more of them are not.

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The Campo Santo is a mausoleum that can ever be forgotten after once being seen. No never be forgotten after once being seen. No burial place has so deeply affected me. The earth was brought from Jerusalem in fifty ships, but that is nothing. Artists of masterly skill have for five centuries been embellishing it with painting and sculpture, and the old sepulchres of Greece and Italy have been robbed in the corner weave his web till you are quite to furnish statues, sarcophagi and monuments to adorn this sauctuary of the dead. It was a fitting place to muse in, to me a striking representation of all this land—a land of the past—a land of sepulchres—of beauty, but such beauty only as cannot die—its hills, and plains, and sea are here as they were when the men upon its own individual responsibility. Then, and the women were alive, for whom these suppose, just as you are at the last gasp, the marble coffins were wrought with such exquis

Leghorn is a seaport with no objects of special attraction to the traveller. Great quantities of marble are here shipped for England and America, and I was pleased to see the familiar names of New York and Boston on the ships in the harbor, and to hear the good old tongue of my native land, even in the coarse and some-times rather hard dialect of the sailor. But there is no language, I believe, so complete for swearing in as the Italian. The ease and ingenuity are quite peculiar, with which a man manages to work in a string of oaths, of every degree in the scale of profanity, which would certainly confound a Yankee sailor competent even to box the compass with a quid of tobacco in his mouth. It was good news to me that a

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Now in the storm. The sense of loneliness was very oppressive, and busy memory brought no relief. An hour or two out, and the vessel rolled so fearfully that I could find no place of the tour we made together without such thoughts of him as at present disturb my sensibilities. and so weigh me down, that my descriptions must fail to do justice to the truth, and to the impressions made upon me by the glorious land of Tell. Rankin was with me in the charming valley of Interlacken, and sailed with me

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this country, who was once a boot-black in the establishment of the Duke of —; and finding that he was once a fellow servant of Antonio, I got his history, strange, romantic, diverting even; for in fact the man has fought his way up from servitude to royal honors, and more than once has represented his government at foreign courts, the equal and companion of the very men whose horses he once groomed. And when Antonio had thus whiled away the evening for me, he stretched himself upon the evening for me, he stretched himself upon the floor close by, and slept soundly, while I slept lightly and dreamed.

The morning came, and with it the sight of Civita Vecchia. The storm was past, the sun really is a valuable part of the hog. We mean

was out, a cool bracing morning, reviving to a worn man. An hour brought us to anchorage, but more than an hour was spent in getting the ordinary leave to come ashore. And when at last the passports had been examined, and the permission granted, a system of plunder com-menced—the like of which I have fortunately not had since coming abroad. My own ser-vant was not allowed to carry anything ashore; the hair and bristles, so much the hog, this but a special porter for each man's effects, that more might be demanded in the way of fees. At the custom house at least three sets of men pluck, liver, and heart, (which are the only At the custom house at least three sets of men were to be paid, and at the Diligence office as many, and they came upon me for two pauls, (twenty cents) apiece, until I told Antonio to look about and if he could find any body else who wanted two pauls, to give it to him, but not to let any of them come near me. And to the pluck fat boy, who rids it of the fat, for manure or to be buried. The gutter throws the entrails on a long bench, where six or eight men and the pluck fat boy, who rids it of the fat, throws the residue out, either to be carted off or manure or to be buried. The gutter throws the entrails on a long bench, where six or eight crown the whole, the American consul demanded and received two dollars for certifying to my passports, an infamous extortion which I record as the first instance in which I have had to pay an American official a cent since coming to the continent. But Civita Vecchia lishments, dumped into the yard, and in three is a den of thieves. It is the site of the great prison house where the criminals of the Roman States are confined, and the people outside the walls appear to be contaminated by the assoman between the criminals of the great or four weeks put into the steam tank, to make soap grease. The smaller ones are of more value, and are cleaned for sausage skins. It may be interesting for information to visit one ciation. Right glad was I to be started off to- of these ward noon in a postchaise for Rome. At a strank Rendering Establishments.—Some rattling pace we rode on through a deeply uninteresting country; no towns, no villas, no hismake available the offal of the hog. At the torical associations to enliven the journey. At each change of horses, which was every ten miles, the postillions called for a fee, and this we gave according to the freedom with which they had whipped the horses, and at eight in the evening we saw the dome of St. Peter's apartments are built on the banks of a raveling in the most light and soon was stand in which carries all the waste matter of the same and the control of the hog. At the establishment of Koeble & Miller, near the Crighton House, but one of several establishment of the object. At the establishment of the hog. At the establishment of Koeble & Miller, near the Crighton House, but one of several establishment of the hog. At the establishment of Koeble & Miller, near the crighton House, but one of several establishment of the hog. At the establishment of Koeble & Miller, near the crighton House, but one of several establishment of the hog. At the establishment of Koeble & Miller, near the crighton House, but one of several establishments in the city, we learned to what extent even the smallest and most inconsiderable portion of the hog was used. The rendering apartments are built on the banks of a raveling in the waste matter of the hog. At the establishment of Koeble & Miller, near the establishment of Koeble & Miller, near the cright in the city, we learned to what extent even the smallest and most inconsiderable portion of the hog was used.

WHAT SPAIN IS AND WHAT SHE WAS .- A Our country has been the greatest of the globe; cents a pound, are thrown into the tanks and, in the days of its splendor, neither the gigantic empire of Alexander nor the vastit. The sun never set upon our country, which

IRENÆUS.

composed 80,000 square leagues and 60,000,000 inhabitants. Of so much richness and power, we have lost more than two-thirds in a couple of centuries. In 1565 we ceded Malta to the order of St. John; France afterwards took possession of it, and ultimately the English. In 1620 Louis XIII incorporated Lower Nevarre and Bearn with France. In 1629 our government recognised the conquest of Ro made by the same monarch. In 1620 Portu-Jamaica; 1704, Gibraltar; 1718, the Lucayas; 1769, Dominica; 1797, Trinidad. In 1636 the In 1697 we shared St. Domingo with France; in 1821 we lost our half. In 1790 we abandoned Oran after the earthquake. In 1791 we ceded our rights over Oran and Mazalquiver to Morocco. In 1713 we ceded Sardinia to the other districts in the north of Italy, we ceded to princes of the reigning family. In 1759 we lost Naples of Sicily, in consequence of the Infanta Don Carlos selling them to occupy the Spanish throne. In 1800 we ceded Louisiana to France; and in 1819, Florida to the Americans; and lastly, the South American colonies emancipated themselves successively from 1816

Female Physicians. The Boston Journal strongly advocates the

Do you? Just suppose yourself a forlorn sick bachelor, in the upper story of some noisy boarding-house, whose inmates don't care a pinch of snuff whether you conclude to die, or in the corner weave his web qualified to make one yourself; suppose you qualified to make one yourself; suppose you door opens gently and admits (not a great creaking pair of boots containing an oracular, solemn M. D., grim enough to frighten you into the church-yard) but a smiling, rosycheeked, bright-eyed, nice little live woman doctress vet?

doctress, yet? Well, she pushes back her curls, throws off her shawl, (Venus! what a figure!) pulls off her glove, and takes your hand in those little fingers. Holy mother! How your pulse races! She looks at you so compassionately from those soft blue eyes; lays her hand on your forehead, and then questions you demurely about your "symptoms," (a few of which she sees without any of your help!) Then she writes a prescription with those dainty little fingers, and tells you to keep very composed and quiet, (just as if you could,) smoothes the tumbled quilt, arranges steamer was to start at 4 P. M. for Civita Vecchia.

In spite of the rain which was now pouring, and the prospect of a rough night, I put off in a row boat, and got on board the Anatole, a small screw steamer, not a regular passage

boat, and found but one cabin passenger to erawl out of the bed the best way you can-share the steamer with me. It was a gloomy clutch a looking glass to see what the proba share the steamer with me. It was a gloomy sight to look into that prison of a cabin, and then to look out on the Mediterranean heaving now in the storm. The sense of loneliness was as long as she will come to see you. Well, the

Drying Room.—All the hogs slaughtered during the day are successively borne, on the shoulders of these wet hog carriers, and hung

OFFAL.-This was formerly refuse, or rejected as of no value or unfit for use. The hair and The interesting description of the processes of preparing them for important uses, we will speak of hereafter. There is generally a contract with the slaughtering establishments for

STEAM RENDERING ESTABLISHMENTS.—Som the evening we saw the dome of St. Peter's apartments are built on the banks of a ravshining in the moonlight, and soon were standing in the gates of "the Eternal City." apartments are built on the banks of a ravine, which carries all the waste matter off to Mill creek. On the side of the building next to the ravine is a row of twelve large woode tanks with tops, which are raised when required to admit the stock, of which black and ness of the present Czar could be compared to scummed off, and the bones and refuse matte let down into the ravine, by touching a lever which opens a trap door; the bones are picked up, and afterwards sold for one dollar a dray load, to be made into ivory black.

This grease, purified by lye, becomes clear and white, and in another building is placed in linen cloths laying in a small frame 7 by 12 inches, the cloths folded over and the packages thus folded placed between boards, and put some establishments under steam or hydro tatic pressure, and others in presses, arranged in great numbers up and down a long apartment, regulated by cogs, levers, and weights, by which a gradually increasing pressure causes the lard oil to exude, which runs down into vats in the lower story to be barreled, the residum in the cloths, being the article of commerce which is called stearine, of which star candles are made. Stearine is from a Greek word "Stear," tallow or suet. The various kinds of animal fat commonly consist of two substances, principally stearine, a solid; and olein, a liquid. The stearine by further process gives another article of commerce, known as red oil, which is used in making what is Duke of Savoy; Padua, Placentia, Lucca, and called olein soap. Cincinnati has a wide-spread reputation for her manufacture of star candle and superior soap. The amount of capital in-

vested therein is immense.

In connexion with the same establishment in which the large entrails are used in the steam tanks, the gut, fat, and heads of the hogs are submitted in other tanks to the same steam process, and an excellent white grease or lard btained, which is extensively used by the lardoil manufacturers.

Some fifteen or twenty men are also engaged in another part of the building in cleansing introduction of females into the ranks of the medical profession. We consider the needle a are passed some three times through salt, and with much care packed in barrels and half barrels, and shipped to Europe and various parts of the world, where they are used for saussage skins. This has become a very valuble trade, the whole barrels at the factory being worth \$70, and the half barrels \$35.

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NEW JEWELRY STORE—The subscriber would most respectfully inform the citizens of Washington and vicinity, that he has just opened a very choice and select assortment of fine Gold Lawsley, rich Silver Wash, best quality of Gold and Silver Watches, Gold and Silver Spectacles, Gold Chains, Seals, Keys, Gold and Silver Thimbles, Gold Lockets, Pens, Pencils, &c., &c. All of which he now offers for sale by the single article as cheap as goods of the same quality can be purchased for in any other city in America; so that purchasers can be supplied here as well and as cheap as in any other city. Please call at the store (formerly occupied by Mr. Steven Eddy) between 4½ and 6th streets, north side Pennsylvania avenue. H. O. HOOD.

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Dec 11—colm

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Together with a stock of superior genuine Havana Cigars, and a variety of cheap family Wines.
Dec 22—3tif&2if3w.

A CARD. MADAME BLAKE, in announcing to the citizens of Washington and Georgetown, that she has retired from her profession, as instructress of dancing, tenders to them her warmest thanks for the patronage she has so long and so liberally received. She begs leave to recom-mend to the favorable notice of her friends and mend to the tavorable notice of her irends and patrons, and of the public generally, as her successor, M. John Cocheu, in whom all confidence may be placed, both as a gentleman, and as a fully competent instructor.

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Mons. C. is a pupil of the celebrated Mons. Achille, and flatters himself that he is a credit to his famous instructor; and refers with pride to his many numils in the State of Virginia, as proofs of

many pupils in the State of Virginia, as proofs of Mons. C. has pleasure in stating, that, through the kind interference of Madame Blake, he has been appointed teacher of dancing in the convent, and in the school of the Rev. Wm. J. Clark,

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To widows who are receiving less than their

husbands did under the acts of 1828 and 1832 he will guaranty the same pensions paid to their hus To the widows of those revolutionary officers

and soldiers who were cut off from pensions by marrying after January, 1800, he will guaranty pensions for life, under the act of February, 1853.

To all widows who have been enjoying five years' half-pay under the acts of July, 1836, July, 1848, and February, 1849, he will guaranty a constitution of said half-ray to five the constitution of the said half-ray. inuance of said half-pay for five years more, under the act of February, 1853.
All marines and sailors who served on the coast of California and Mexico, from 1846 to 1852, and the Arctic expedition are entitled to extra pay. Widows and children of those who died in the Mexican war are entitled to pensions. Fees in all cases moderate, and no charge in any

case of the widow or orphan unless the claim be collected and paid over. He flatters himself that his long residence in Washington and experience in the transaction of business in the various departments thereof will afford him great facilities in the collection

claims,
If necessary, he respectfully refers to the senators and members of Congress from Virginia and Pexas.
Office on K street, between 24th and 25t S. L. LEWIS. streets. Nov 9—lawif 3m (m)

CHAMPAGNE CIDER—
12 barrels good quality, just received.
1 tierce southern dried Cherries in store.
SHEKELL & BAILEY. Successors to John B. Kibbey & Co., No. 5, opposite Centre Market. Dec 17—6tif [Star] (m)

## Miscellaneous.

EDWARD C. DYER. Importer of Havana Cigars and Dealer in Wines and Liquors.

Penn. avenue, between 12th and 13th streets.

I have constantly on hand French, German, and Native Sparkling and Still Wines of choicest brands, Brandies, Gins, Scotch, Irish, and other Whiskeys, London and Scotch Ales and Brown Stout, Cordial, and all other goods usually found in a first-class Wine Store.

CIGARS-CIGARS-CIGARS. Having an experienced agent in Havana, whose judgment may be implicitly relied on, I shall hereafter be in the monthly recept of 50,000 of the choicest brands of Cigars manufactured on the Island of Cuba, to samples of which I now invite the attention of connoisseurs.

Now in store, 70,000 Washington Club and El Siglo brands, received by the schooners Japonica and Elizabeth Jane, of Philadelphia, Ohl and Son owners.

Persons wishing to procure any particular brand can do so on application to me, as I have shipments every two weeks.

EDWARD C. DYER.

Dec. 11-d10t

BRANDIES, WINES, &c.—In Store, qual-ities as represented, subject to inspection : BRANDIES.

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Bouvet Jne: Cognac, vintage 1846, pale.
Borehard do. do. 1843, dark.
Otard, Dupuy & Co., Cognac, vintage 1842, dark.
Do. do. do. do. 1842, pale. Do. do. do. do. 1842, pale.
Ph. Goddard, old, pale and colored.
Sazarac, De Forge & F., in quarter casks, gold.
Rasteau, Charruyer, pale.
Chateau Bernard Cognac, choice, old vintage,

Pinet, Castillion & Co., Cognac, choice, old Pinet, Castillion & Co., Cognac, choice, old vintage, 1832, dark.

London Dock, of several brands, imported from the London Docks.

Pinet, Castillion, & Co., very choice Champagne, vintage of 1825, "known to be," in quarter casks, and the same in bottles, believed to be the best brandy in the District.

WINES.

Old South Side Madeires in wood and bottles.

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Old South Side Madeiras, in wood and bottles.
Old Bual do. very fine, in bottles.
Old London Particular Madeira, in wood and Woodhouse fine Sicily Madeira, in quarter

casks.
"Regent's" and "Durand's" Old Port. 1 quarter cask Offley's do.
1 do. do. Queen's Port.
P. Harmony's Pale Sherry.
Duff Gordon Brown do.
Regent's Golden Sherry, of a rich and delicate flavor, pronounced by judges a most superior was

1 quarter cask Offley's Pale Sherry, a very fine Dry and Sweet Malaga and Cette Madeiras.

CHAMPAGNE. CHAMPAGNE.
Geisler's "Anchor" and "Own Brand," in quarts.
P. A. Mumm's Sillery.
Heidsiek & Co's Champagne, in quarts and pints,
imported by Renauld, Francois.
Heidsiek & Co., Ensler's & Co.

Met & Chandon's very superior Champagne, imported by Adolphus Ech's. Met and Chandon's Grand Vin-Anglais, in pints and quarts.

Meet & Chandon's Owl de Perdrix, in pints and quarts, the finest Champagne in Wash-

ington.
J. A. J. Nolet's Imperial Scheidam Gin.
Imperial, Pear, and Clover Leaf.
Old Rye Whisky, distilled 1832.
Choice Old Rye Whisky, a pure article, distilled in 1829, now twenty-four years old; speaks

Scotch and Irish Whiskeys, pure. Together with a full assortment of Wines and biquors at low prices. (Successors to J. B. Kibbey & Co.)

No. 5, opposite Centre Market HAVE YOU BOUGHT YOUR FURNI-TURE!—If not, call and examine our new splendid stock of Rosewood, Mahogany, and

Walnut FURNITURE.

Our stock is all new and well made, comprising nearly every article of cabinet furniture now in use, and many articles that are not to be found in other furniture stores; a few of which we enu

Large and splendid walnut and mahogany Extension Tables Rosewood, mahogany, and walnut Bookcases Centre Tables Rosewood, mahogany, and walnut Etagere

do Buffet do do corner do do Wardrobes Cottage Reception Chairs, covered with lasting Rosewood, mahogany, and walnut Teapoys and Walnut and mahogany Comodes

Do do Trays and Stands
Do do and iron Hatracks
Iron Bedsteads, Cribs, and Umbrella Stands Marble-slabs, Gilt Brackets, and Gilt frame Mahogany and Walnut Looking-glass Frames and Looking-glass Plates Curled-hair, shuck, palm-leaf, and Excelsion

We have also the newly invented elastic spiral spring mattress, which has given satisfaction to all who have used it. In nearly every instance where we have sold them they have returned Of furniture for common use we have too great in assortment to enumerate,
WIGHT & CROSBY.

Louisiana avenue, opposite the Bank of Washington, near the corner of 7th street. ington, near the Notice the bedstead sign. (m) Nov 22—1m

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.—All per-sons in want of Musical Instruments will do well to call and examine our very select as-Banjos and Tambourines.

Also, Tuning Forks, Pegs, Bows, Rosin, Italian Strings, &c., all of which we will sell at remarkably low prices.

J. F. ELLIS,
Pa. av., between 9th and 10th streets.

NEW MUSIC, PIANOS, &c. WE have this week published the "Star Schottische," by G'Schwend, and dedicated o Messrs. Wallach & Hope, of the "Evening

Star."

This is very pretty Schottische, and our friends should not fail to secure a copy. We have also recently opened five new Pianos, from the establishment of Knabe, Gaehle & Co., and one from Firth, Pond, & Co., N. Y., to all of which we invite the attention of those in want of a first-rate instrument, as we are determined to sell at very

Pa. avenue, between 9th and 10th streets.

MODERN LANGUAGES.—D. E. Groux, a native of France, teacher of Modern Lan guages, especially French. Spanish, and German. Translations made with correctness and punctuality. Professor of Numesmatics, for the classifi-cation and explanation of medals and coins. Pennsylvania avenue, south side, between 6th and 7th streets, opposite Brown's Hetel.
Furnished Rooms to rent at that place.

A vate sale, bounded by M and 4th streets and New York avenue, and overlooking the whole VERY BEAUTIFUL LOT AT PRI-

Z. D. GILMAN, Druggist, Penn avenue

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HRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR Pres-CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR Presents for Gentlemen.—Superior Dressing
Robes of Silk, Cashmere, French Flannel, Mousseline, French and English Prints, of rich and
beautiful styles, and of all prices, of my own
manufacture. A large assortment now on hand at
LANE'S Gentlemen's Furnishing Store,
Penn. avenue, near 4½ street.

Dec 21—d2wif (Union and Star.)

PORTE MONAIES IN PEARL, IVORY, Leather, Silk, and Velvet, for sale very cheap LAMMOND'S, 7th st.

THE NEW YEAR.-Taylor & Maury's stock, suitable for presents at the approaching season, consists of a variety of goods in every style of elegance, including bibles and prayers in colored velvets, richly ornamented; portfolios, in papier mache and leather; card baskets, boquet holders, card cases, porte monnais, writing desks, inkstands, cigar cases, statuettes, peacil cases, satchels, &c., to which they invite attention.

Book and stationery store, near 9th street. NEW STORE. An excellent stock of gents' furnishing good, recently opened by C. BIRGE, under Willard's Hotel, where he in-

tends keeping every article called for in his line; among which may be found Leary's hats, caps, shawls, robe de chambre, shirts and collars, under garments of every description, silk and cotton um brellas, canes, gloves, hosiery, &c., &c. Dec 6—6teod.\* T. D. Winter. Thomas Brown,

OF VIRGINIA. OF PENNSYLVANIA.

THE UNDERSIGNED offer their services to prosecute claims of every description be-fore Congress and the different departments of the Office on 14th street, opposite Willard's Hotel.

CHAS. H. LANE has now the honor of informing his numerous friends and patrons, in and out of Congress, that his stock is large and complete in every department, embracing all articles usually kept in a first-class furnishing establishment.

Gentlemea are respectfully solicited to call and examine my stock, which will be cheerfully exhibited at all times. Moderate prices and fair dealing may be relied upon. Fashionable Hat, Cap, and Gentlemen's
Furnishing Establishment,
Penn. avenue, near 44 street.

Dec 3-2wif. CARD.

To the Ladies of Washington, Georgetown, Alexandria. §c.

HENRY WEIRMAN'S ladies, misses, and children's French shoes are sold by the undersigned, on 15th street, just above Corcoran & Riggs's Banking House, in his new building, with the high marble steps, where he will receive ladies' orders, and keep constantly on hand every variety of ladies', misses, and children's French gaiter walking shoes, white and black satin gaiters, slippers, &c., made to order by H. Weirman, of Philadelphia, of the best French gaiter materials, and in the latest Parisian styles. These gaiters are entirely different from what are generaly known as "slop-shop shoes;" being all custom work, of superior workmanship, and warranted to give perfect satisfaction.

Ladies, who value beauty, comfort, and economy, will consult their interest by giving me a

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C. WEIRMAN,

15th street, just above Corcoran & Riggs's
(m) Banking House Nov. 9-1yeo. TNDIA RUBBER GOODS .- We keep al-

above goods, such as coats, cloaks, cloths, piano covers, life preservers, and all goods made of this material.

WALL & STEVENS,
Pa. avenue, between 9th and 10th streets.

AUTIER'S.—This Establishment is now in successful operation, and the proprietor flatters himself that his visitors will be pleased in ladies, and gentlemen when accompanied by la dies. The Restaurant on the second floor to the left is for the use of gentlemen alone, to which the particular attention of members of Congress and others who room out is invited. Meals are served at all hours at prices as low as the plainest houses. and in a style but rarely enjoyed elsewhere. Those wishing to give Private Parties, can be accommodated on short notice in five rooms above the large saloon, furnished in a style of unsurpassed magnificant.

nificence. (m) Dec 15—eod1w CHILDREN'S and Infants' Hats, Caps, und Flats of all colors, styles, qualities, and prices, a large and superior assortment now on hand, cheap for cash, at

LANE'S
Fashionable Hat and Cap Store,

Pennsylvania av., near 41 st. Dec 3-d2wif

THER AND FOOLSCAP PAPERS, ruled and plain, from \$1 25 to \$7 50 per ream for sale by COLLINS, BOWNE & CO., 11th st., six doors north of Penn. avenue, Branch of Stationers' Hall, 174 and 176, Oct. 11-tf. (m) Pearl street, New York

W ATCHES! WATCHES!—J. Y. Savage, No. 92 Fulton street, New York, has an ex-tensive assortment of fine Watches, consisting of tensive assortment of fine Watches, consisting of T. F. Cooper's Duplex, M. J. Tobias & Co's., R. & G. Beesley's, Joseph Johnson, 25 Church street, Liverpool, &c., &c., varying in price from \$75 or \$100. Gold Lepines, four holes jewelled, \$25; Detached Levers, thirteen jewels, \$30; superior full jewelled English Gold Levers from \$50 to \$60. The whole of the above watches are carefully selected by myself, and being put up under my own inspection, I can warrant perfect time-keepers. Gold Pens, of my own make, of superior workmanship, warranted to retain their points, for \$2, \$3 and \$4. Pens without cases, 75 cents, \$1 50, \$2 and \$3. Sent to all parts of the country free of postage. Old pens re-pointed and made equal to new for 50 cents.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

WORK BOXES, Work Baskets, Ladies'
Cabas, gentlemen's travelling cases, mantel
ornaments, children's games, flower vases, walking canes, backgammon boards and chessmen,
toilet and dressing combs, soap, Lubin's and Harrison's extracts, paints, playing and visiting cards,
jet bracelets and jet ornaments, fine bridal stationers, and call paintings Are. nery, engravings and oil paintings, &c., at JOHN F. ELLIS'S,

Pennsylvania av., bet. 9th and 10th sts, HO! HO!! FOR THE HOLYDAYS.

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TEW and beautiful Goods for Christmas and New Year presents. The subscriber begs to inform his friends and the public that he has in store the largest and most complete assortment of Fancy Goods, Perfumery, Music, Musical Instruments, Fancy and Staple Stationery, Papier Mache goods, Bronze figures, Statues, &c., ever offered in this city, to which he invites their particular attention, being determined to sell at exticular attention, being determined to sell at ex-

Pennsylvania Avenue. MARRIAGES! Carriages .-- The Subscri-

ber has on hand an extensive assortment of coaches, rockaways, barouches, and buggies of the newest and most splendid styles, which, for workmanship and price he defies competition. Persons requiring any articles in his line may with confidence make purchases at his establishment, as he warrants every article of his manufacture. On hand, several second-hand carriages, which

will be sold at very low prices.
THOMAS YOUNG, Corner Pennsylvania evenue and 44 street.

Dec 17—3md (m)